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IN THE U. S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Hiroshi TANAKA Conf.: 2219  
Apply. No.: 09/219,121 Art Unit: 2612  
Filed: December 23, 1998 Examiner: M. ROSENDALE  
For: ORDER PROCESSING METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR IMAGE  
OUTPUT SERVICE, AND ORDER INFORMATION  
GENERATING APPARATUS, ORDER RECEIVING  
APPARATUS, AND DIGITAL CAMERA USED IN THE  
METHOD

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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In reply to the Examiner's Office Action ("Office Action") dated April 9, 2003, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This Reply includes:

Amendments to the Specification;  
Amendments to the Claims; and  
Remarks.

The amendments presented herein comply with the "Revised Amendment Format" as set forth in the Official Gazette Notice dated February 25, 2003. In accordance with the Notice, the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(a)-(d) are waived.